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4. <u>Rightist Movements:</u>			
a. <u>East Asia League Comrades Society:</u> The revival of the East Asia League Comrades Society (Toa Remmei Doshi Kai) apparently is progressing slowly, but recent reports indicate that backing for the Society may be somewhat wider than indicated by early information. The date for official inauguration of the Society, 15 Aug 52, passed without any reported activity at the national level, but inauguration ceremonies were held at the local level. Ex-colonel TANAKA Hisashi an associate of <u>TSUJI Masanobu</u> and the Shikoku leader of the wartime Toa Remmei Doshikai, reportedly was the sponsor of a 15 Aug meeting inaugurating the Takamatsu City, Shikoku, Society branch. (e)			
TANAKA's backing presumably will be helpful in the Shikoku region, and the reported interest of ODA (ORITA) Masanobu in the Society's revival will also be helpful in that area. As the leading force in the rightist National Salvation Youth League (Kyukoku Seinen Remmei), which has several thousand members in Kagawa Prefecture, ODA may be able to add considerably to the East Asia League Comrades Society's numerical strength if he decides to join forces with TSUJI-			
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KIMURA Takeo another of the organizers. ODA previously has described the National Salvation Youth League members as "followers of the ideals of the late General ISHIHARA Kanji," but had indicated that the League's support would be thrown to another rightist group the West Japan National Construction League (Nishi Nippon Kensetsu Kokumin Renmei). (c)

The Cooperation and Harmony Party (Kyowa To), which is composed largely of members of the wartime East Asia League Comrades Society, has failed to take a unanimous stand on the question of disarming and joining forces with the new TSUJI-KIMURA led organization....

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